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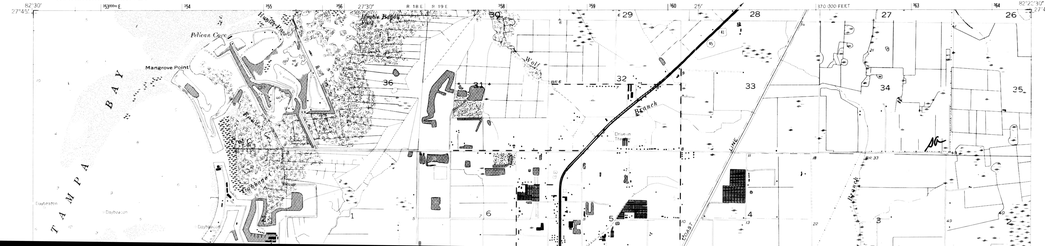

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TAMPA BAY ENVIRONMENTAL ATLAS

BIOLOGICAL RESOURCES

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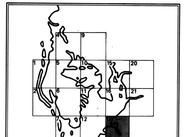

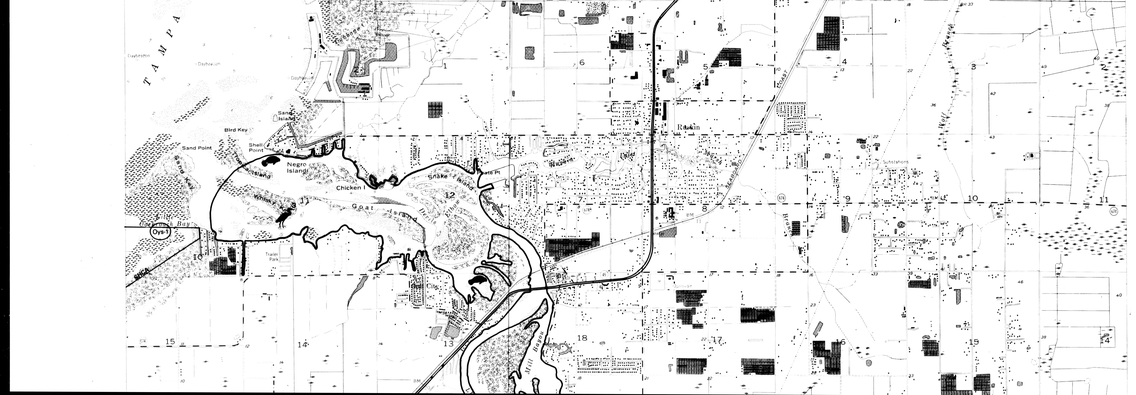
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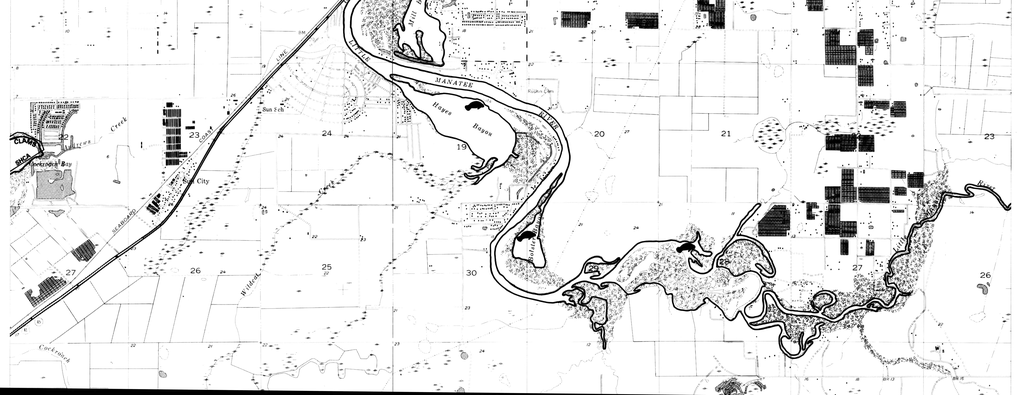
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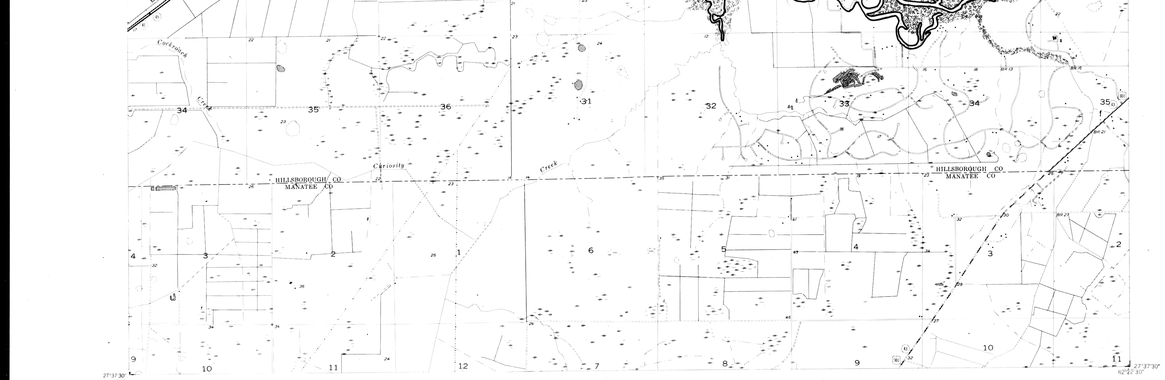


(Recreational Hook and Line Fishing)

SPECIES #	FINISH: CATEGORY (Common Name)	SPAWNING: LOCATION*	SPAWNING: SEASON J F M A M J J A S O N D	NURSERY AREA	MAJOR NURSERY HABITATS: Mangrove	Seagrass	Estuarine Reef	Coastal Reef	OCS Reef	MAJOR ADULT HABITATS: Estuarine Waters	Beaches	Coastal Reef	Coastal Waters	Open Water	*MIGRATION TYPE
ESTUARINE DEPENDENT FISHES															
1	Red Drum	C	M	E	●	●	●			E	●	●	●		2
2	Spotted Seatrout	C	M	E	●	●	●			E	●	●			2
3	Snook	C	M	E	●	●	●			E	●	●			2
4	Sheepshead	C	M	C	●					C-I	●		●	●	2
5	Southern Flounder	C	M	C-E	●		●			C-I	●		●		2
6	Florida Pompano	CS	M	C-E			●			C-I			●		● 3
7	Striped Mullet	CS	M	E	●	●	●			E	●	●	●		3
8	Gulf Menhaden	C	M	E	●	●	●			C-I	●		●		● 3
9	Spanish Sardine	C	M	E	●	●	●			C-E	●		●		● 3
10	Black Drum	C	M	E	●	●	●			E	●	●	●		
REEF FISHES															
11	Red Grouper	CS	M	CS-C				●	●	CS			●	●	2
12	Jewfish	CS	M	CS-C				●	●	CS-C			●	●	2
13	Gag Grouper	CS	M	CS-C				●	●	CS-C			●	●	2
14	Scamp	CS	M	CS				●	●	CS			●	●	2
15	Red Snapper	CS	M	CS-C				●	●	CS-C			●	●	2
16	Mangrove Snapper	CS	M	C-E	●	●				C-E			●	●	2
COASTAL PELAGIC FISHES															
17	King Mackerel	OCS	M	CS					●	CS-C			●	●	4
18	Spanish Mackerel	CS	M	CS					●	CS-C			●	●	4

*KEY:
E — Estuarine
C — Coastal
CS — Continental Shelf
OCS — Outer Continental Shelf

*MIGRATION TYPE:
1 — Residentially Restricted
2 — Random Residential Range
3 — Restricted Migration
4 — Extensive Migration

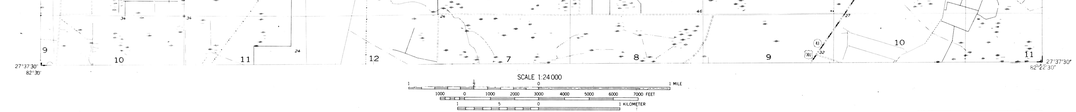
COLONIAL BIRD NESTING SITE *
Number appearing with symbol indicates colony size. Colony sites and species composition data are included in the narrative.

Shorebird

Wading Bird

Brown Pelican

WEST INDIAN MANATEE HABITAT



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1 0 1 KILOMETER

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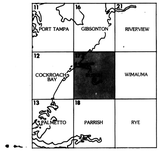

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SEAGRASS BEDS

ARTIFICIAL REEF*
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Numbers next to reefs refer to composition data in narrative

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